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In re Patent Application of)
FUJISAKI et al.)
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For: **A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND**)
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME)
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Examiner
Richards, N. Drew

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231**

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 24, 2005, the period of response to which is set to expire on August 24, 2005, with the payment of the appropriate extension fee for three months. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: